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Applicant: Kia et al.

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Examiner: Merrick L. Dixon

Title: BARRIER COAT FOR OPEN TOOL MOLDING

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Reply to Final Office Action

Sir:

This is Applicants' response to the Final Office Action mailed December 30, 2005, for which the three-month statutory period for reply is set to expire March 30, 2006. Response is timely and no extension fee is due. Further, this amendment after final is being filed within two months of the Final Rejection.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the following amendments and accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.